CONFERENCE AGENDA

Monday, June 1, 2009 Pre-Conference Activities

COME EARLY AND ENJOY 5 GOLF COURSES, 41 POOLS, 53 HOT SPAS & MANY **A**NYTIME OTHER UNIQUE & EXCITING ACTIVITIES TO ENTERTAIN THE ENTIRE FAMILY.

4:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M. **EMSAAC** BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 2009 CONFERENCE BEGINS

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST (SPONSORED BY MERCY AIR SERVICES) 7:30 A.M. - 8:30 A.M.

8:30 A.M. - 10:00 A.M. **REGISTRATION/EXHIBITS OPEN**

WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS 10:00 A.M. - 10:15 A.M.

Michael Frenn, EMS Director, Solano County & EMSAAC President

Bruce H. Lee, CEO, Verihealth, Inc., & Conference Co-Director

Bruce Barton, EMS Administrator, Riverside County & Conference Co-Director

10:15 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. **CONFERENCE OPENING KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

CALIFORNIA EMS & HEALTHCARE: WHERE WE'VE BEEN/WHERE WE'REGOING

The Honorable John Garamendi, Lieutenant Governor of California

11:00 A.M. - 12 NOON **EMS SURVIVING THE ECONOMIC & FUNDING CRISIS**

James Lott, Executive Vice President

Hospital Association of Southern California

12 NOON - 1:30 P.M. **LUNCH/ EMSAAC - EMS LEADERSHIP AWARDS PRESENTATION**

(SPONSORED BY CALSTAR - California Shock Trauma Air Rescue)

1:30 P.M. - 2:30 P.M. **EMS DESIGN PERSPECTIVES: LEVERAGING SYSTEM PERFORMANCE THROUGH IT**

> **CLAREMONT GRADUATE UNIVERSITY** Benjamin Schooley, PhD Thomas Horan, PhD





WELCOMES EMSAAC & Conference Participants

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- 2:30 P.M. 3:15 P.M. TACTICAL MEDICINE: They're Doing What?
 - Dan Smiley, Chief Deputy Director California EMS Authority
 - PANEL DISCUSSION MODERATOR: Lawrence Heiskell MD FACEP FAAFP
- 3:15 P.M. 3:45 P.M. BREAK/VISIT VENDOR EXHIBITS (SPONSORED BY REDDINET)
- 3:45 P.M. 4:30 P.M. HOT TOPIC: PERSPECTIVES ON EMS HELICOPTER UTILIZATION
 - Bryan E. Bledsoe, DO, FACEP
 - **Clinical Professor of Emergency Medicine**
- 4:30 P.M. 5:00 P.M. EMS HELICOPTER UTILIZATION: TOO MUCH, TOO LITTLE, JUST RIGHT
 - PANEL DISCUSSION MODERATOR: Bruce H. Lee
 - Bryan E. Bledsoe, DO, FACEP, Clinical Professor of Emergency Medicine
 - James Hinsdale, MD, FACS, Medical Director, CALSTAR
 - Gary McCalla, MD, Medical Director, REACH Air Medical Services
 - Reza Vaezazizi, MD, Medical Director, ICEMA EMS Region
- 5:00 P.M. 5:30 P.M. **LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**
 - PITFALLS ON EMS: HOW AGENCIES CAN STAY OUT OF TROUBLE
 - Matthew R. Streger, Esq. JD, MPA, NREMT-P
- EMSAAC PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION (SPONSORED BY AMERICAN MEDICAL RESPONSE) 5:30 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 2009

- 7:30 A.M. 8:30 A.M. CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST (SPONSORED BY MERCY AIR SERVICES)
- 8:30 A.M. 9:30 A.M. **MEDICAL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS**
 - **EVACUATING A HOSPITAL: THE DEPAUL EXERCISE EXPERIENCE**
 - Per Schenck, MS, Stanford Hospital & Clinics/Lucile Packard Children's Hospital
 - Ken Kehmna, Deputy Chief Santa Clara County Fire Dept
 - Josh Davies, Deputy Director Santa Clara County EMS Agency
- CASE STUDY OF THE EMS RESPONSE TO THE CHATAWORTH TRAIN COLLISION 9:30 A.M. - 10:30 A.M.
 - **Chief Timothy Ernest, Los Angeles City Fire Department**
 - Stephanie Raby, Nurse Consultant, Medical Alert Ctr, Los Angeles EMS Agency
- BREAK/Vendor Exhibits (SPONSORED BY REDDINET) 10:30 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.
- 11:00 A.M. 12:00 NOON REGIONAL TRAUMA PLANNING: WHAT ARE WE TRYING TO ACCOMPLISH?
 - THE RTCC EXPERIENCE A REVIEW OF THE REGIONS
 - PANEL DISCUSSION MODERATOR: ROBERT MACKERSIE, MD, FACS Region 1 - Northern California Region 2 -- Bay Area
 - Region 3 -- Central California Region 4 - Southwest California
 - Region 5 Southeast California
- 12:00 NOON 1:30 P.M. **LUNCH / STATE OF EMS**
 - Steven Tharratt, MD, MPVM, Director California EMS Authority (SPONSORED BY REACH Air Medical Services)
- 1:30 P.M.- 2:00 P.M. **CARDIAC/STEMI & STROKE SYSTEM UPDATES**
 - **EMS & STEMI:** THE EVOLUTION OF A MAJOR PARADIGM SHIFT
 - Ivan C. Rokos, MD, FACEP
 - **Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA**
- OPPORTUNITIES & CHALLENGES IN EMS STROKE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT 2:00 P.M. - 2:30 P.M.
 - David Ghilarducci, MD FACEP
 - Santa Clara County EMS Medical Director
- STEMI PANEL DISCUSSION MODERATOR: Ivan C. Rokos MD, FACEP 2:30 P.M.- 3:00 P.M.
 - Steven Tharratt, MD, MPVM, Director California EMS Authority
 - Shami Mahmud MD, FACC, University of California San Diego Medical Center
 - Bruce H. Lee (AHA/STEMI Taskforce Member)
- 3:00 P.M. **CLOSING REMARKS / CONFERENCE END**

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